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THE TURNPIKE QUESTION.

Every community has ever been, is now and always will be afflicted and afflicted with agitators and innovators. They are generally thoughtless and ignorant and possessed of intellectual poverty, whereby, without bad intentions, they are misguided by folly, but sometimes well informed, considerate and fruitful of mental resources, that devoid of moral principle and regardless of the rights of others. This latter class finds its resources usually in injustice and undertakes to mislead by plausible but unfair means little short of villainy. The purposes of either, if successful, almost universally result in disaster to the masses.

Those who raise the loudest hue and cry against public abuses oftentimes are the very ones who create them and those who ostentatiously affect a spirit of public welfare generally do the least for their neighbors. And our county is not an exception to the general rule. We are a good and conservative people, level-headed and just-hearted in the main, but we have our own leaven of the self patriotic and self-conceited, those who could not, if their lives depended on it, tell what is meant by the term political economy, if they were to see it written in the plainest letters a thousand times a day, but who, nevertheless, consider that there is nothing sound in political theory except that which bubbles up from the shallow and soft depths of their own untutored brains. This element in our midst is now active. It thinks it has made a discovery. It feels as if it were moved by an inspiration. It considers that it has a big idea, and roused by everything which can annihilate it, it feels as if it were moved by an inspiration. It considers that it has a big idea, and roused by everything which can annihilate it, it feels as if it were moved by an inspiration. It considers that it has a big idea, and roused by everything which can annihilate it, it feels as if it were moved by an inspiration.

Just how we are, as a people, to have free turnpikes is not explained. But how most of these self intended reformers of the affairs of the county expect to have free turnpikes for themselves at the expense of others can be very readily inferred. Like all of its kind, the movement is a loud and aggressive one. What it lacks in wisdom it is sought to supply by impudence. What it lacks in virtue is intended to be supplied by audacity. What is wanting in patriotism it is thought that an affected zeal for the public service and clamor will supply. The bravado of some of its advocates has well shaken the faith and fortitude of a few thoughtful and sensible men, and they have the temerity to avow that they will at the next legislative election present a candidate and try a conclusion of the question before the people. This being the case it is the duty of every conservative citizen—every good citizen—not to ignore the question, but to throw upon it the rights of reason, sound sense, experience and intelligence and overwhelm this unbusinesslike and stupid folly before even the most unwary can be misguided by it.

To have free pikes would be a very fine thing. To get something for nothing is agreeable to us all, and is especially delightful to those who are too lazy to work, not too honest, but too cowardly to steal, but who would not scruple to covet his neighbor's property and deprive him of it, by methods fair or foul, which will not lead to criminal punishment. We do not intend to make the impression that we believe that every one who is in favor of what is termed "free turnpikes" is a rascal. But we avow that that is the understanding the question and favors it is an unjust man. And he who favors it without understanding it is a foolish one and little regardful of his neighbors' rights.

The turnpike interest of Lincoln county is a great interest. Of McAdams roads there are 162 miles which have cost, according to the most reliable information to be obtained, \$100,000, of which the county has paid out of its revenues \$20,750, \$300,250, exclusive of rights-of-way, have been contributed by public spirited and generous citizens. The rights-of-way, which have not been condemned and paid for, would have cost if compensation had been demanded all of \$30,000. Therefore the turnpike property of the county would cost our people to-day, should they be required to construct the 162 miles now in use, \$130,000. More than this, for this kind of work was done cheaper a generation ago than it is now and more than half of our turnpikes were built a generation ago.

It is safe to estimate that the cost would now be not less than \$140,000. If the people of the county propose to condemn and own this property, fairness and justice, if not law itself, demand that they shall pay for it what it would cost them to produce it now. Any man who would propose anything else is not only an unjust man but a mean man. If he has a spark of conscience let him sit in judgment upon himself and he will instantly return the verdict, "I am a mean man." For here is the case: There is a community of 50 citizens. Ten of these are public-spirited, financially able and contribute \$15,000; the whole 50 under the mandate of the county contrib-

ute \$5,000, and 40 miles of road are built. It is worth, as is conceded, the price paid, but the stock yields not more generally than one per cent. and therefore it is worth but 1/2 of its face value upon the market. The 10 citizens who paid nothing to the enterprise except upon compulsion, are now suddenly seized with what they impudently call patriotism and say to their neighbors, who have paid \$15,000 for their property: "We want to be partners in this enterprise ourselves and you shall have \$3,000 for your property, for which you have paid \$15,000, and we will make you pay part of it again and we will also be partners in it."

This is a mean and cheeky proposition and any man who would propose it after understanding the full import of it would rob his grand mother, or steal the copper from a dead pauper's eye. Nevertheless, this is the very proposition which the blatant advocates of "free turnpikes" are asking the honest people of the county to adopt.

Let us assume then that it will be adopted and see where these new-born political economists will land us.

The stock in our turnpike corporations not owned by the county amounts to a little over \$300,000. It cannot be bought in the market to-day, at the very lowest estimate, for less than \$125,000. Where are we to get that much money to pay for it? Oh! say these free gentlemen, issue bonds. Oh, yes! Issue bonds! The county only owes \$25,000 in bonds now. Issue \$125,000 and make it an even \$150,000. Amen, say the people. We will make the bonded debt \$125,000 more. What must we now do? Oh, lose \$1,200 per annum revenue, which we now derive from turnpikes. Oh, pay \$7,500 per annum on \$125,000 of bonds; Oh, create a sinking fund of \$4,000 per annum to pay off the principal of the bonds. Oh, pay annually \$15,000 at the very lowest to keep the turnpikes in repair. Oh, pay to the sheriff annually for collecting these debts \$1,500. Total amount to be paid every year by the tax payers for free turnpikes, \$29,250, or 50 cents on the \$100 upon all the taxable property of the county. You are now paying 2 1/2c and you would have, if this scheme would work, the free and glorious privilege and opportunity of paying three times as much county taxes as you pay now. This is what free pikes would be. Do you like it, my tax-paying fellow citizens—my dearly beloved—who, when the assessor visits you swear that your fine house and lot in town, for which you are asking \$10,000, is only worth \$1,000 and your fine blue-grass farm, for which you have just paid \$50 per acre, is only worth \$30 and that your fine stud horse, for which you paid \$2,500, is worth no more than a plow mule? Who, when the tax-gatherer comes, winds two yards of raw hide string from 'round your stout leather pocket book to slowly draw therefrom your last quarter, which you squeeze until the eagle on it squalls as you drop it into his grasping and never-to-be-satisfied hand. If you do, gather your here, shout the appropriation and rally around the flag.

It is easy to be seen what the gross amount of taxation will be for the next period of 31 years (the period for which the bonds would be issued) if the people should permit the plans of these thoughtless theorists to prevail. It would be close to \$200,000, or more than 1/2 of all the taxable property of the county. The people would be compelled to pay this to have "free turnpikes," for the tax-gatherer will come after it. They would be made to pay whether they used the pikes or not. No one is compelled to pay tolls unless he uses the pikes. Under the toll system he is only compelled to pay for himself.

It is not to be presumed for a moment that our people, always so conservative and cautious in business, and so suspicious of any proposition involving an increase of taxation will accept the views and undertake to carry out the purposes of the advocates of these extravagant schemes. But in a moment of uncontrollable excitement and lunacy they should, they would find most speedily and to their sorrow that they have "suffered themselves to be kicked to death by the wildest lot of asses that ever brayed."

These men assert, however, that the purchase price of the outstanding stock would not amount to more than 10 per cent. of its face value. They assert this as confidently as if it were a well known and fixed fact. The assertion is the offspring of dishonesty, or stupidity. The market value of the Stanford and Hustonville road is about at par; that of the Hustonville and Danville road above par, and these stocks alone would cost at least \$35,000. They assert just as confidently and openly that the cost of repairs does not amount annually to anything near \$15,000. They are again most woefully mistaken. Three of the roads having less than 25 miles now have contracts for repairs to be done this year, which will cost over \$250 per mile. This is above the average, but will raise the average cost per mile upon all the roads for this year to considerably over \$100.

Having shown the extravagance of the proposition, let us for a moment consider the absurdity and impracticability of it from a legal standpoint. In the first place, it is met by the very doubtful question as to whether or not the turnpike stocks can be purchased or condemned by the county. The turnpike property is already applied to public use, under contracts which cannot be abrogated. When the public contracts it is as firmly bound as an individual and cannot violate its contract. There is no law now under which these stocks can be acquired without the mutual consent of the parties, nor can there be for the very plain reason that no law impairing the obligation of contracts can be enacted. Besides this property already being applied to public use, what legal authority is there for changing the compensation already agreed upon and accepted?

Section 157 of the constitution limits county taxation to not more than 50 cts. on each \$100, and Section 158 limits county indebtedness to not more than 2 per centum on the taxable property. Both of these provisions would be violated. The rate of taxation in excess of 50 cents could not be avoided, for the reason that under section 149 the debt is required to be paid within 40 years, for which a sinking fund must be created.

Consider, too, the injustice of it. If a system of roads is to be maintained by taxation, justice demands that it shall be uniform throughout the county. That one section shall not have an advantage of another. Such is not the situation in this county. Out of 162 miles of turnpike road only 10, Highland only 6 and Waynesburg only 5. These three districts are in area one-half of the county. They have 21 miles, whilst the other half has 141. Yet the advocates of the proposition to maintain the pikes by taxation calmly say to the people of these three districts, without making any provision to supply them with any more pikes, so as to place them on an equality with the other half of the county. "We will tax you for all time, that we may have smooth roads to ride over." There are some people in this county who evidently think that the people of the three districts mentioned are not worthy of consideration, when it comes to the distribution of public benefits. That bad roads are good enough for them and that it would be an outrage and a public sin to provide them with any better. In this class will be found most of those who are howling for "free turnpikes." The people of these three districts have been taxed enough; too much, to develop the other portions of the county. Fair-minded and just men all over the county have at last come to understand and appreciate this and are disposed to redress the wrong. This disposition has already resulted in the building of the only turnpikes which Highland and Waynesburg have, and will result in the building of more in the near future, if the affairs of the county are economically managed. But let the ridiculous and oppressive plan of these wild agitators be adopted and Crab Orchard, Highland and Waynesburg will not have another mile of turnpike in 50 years.

Again, if a man enjoys a good thing, should he pay for it or take up a contribution from his neighbors? If a man has a fine carriage to ride in, ought he not to pay for it? And if he wants to ride in his fine carriage over a smooth road ought he not to pay for that instead of taxing his neighbor? Is there a juster or fairer method of raising money to keep up the pikes than to take it from those who use them? If a man desires to stay quietly at home and not use a pike at all, ought he, nevertheless, be compelled to pay?

But these questions are met by the old threadbare and worn out, false and hypocritical utterance of the demagogue, "It will benefit the poor man." How, we ask, can it benefit a poor man? He has but little time to spare from his daily labor necessary to save himself and family from starvation. He therefore does not make many trips. He has no time carriage to ride in and oftentimes no horse to ride on, and his facilities for travel are the most simple, and while he goes his toll is cheap. He cannot send his sons and daughters to town twice a day, and to balls and concerts twice a week. They must all stay at home and work. And it is precious little sympathy or assistance that he receives from such men as are agitating this question. The greatest hardship upon the poor man is the visit of the tax-gatherer, and he who upon any persuasion encourages and increases his visits acts under a delusion and commits a folly and a wrong. Any one who unnecessarily increases taxation promotes a curse and is an enemy to his fellow-man. Every one, as has been truly said, who tamely submits to the imposition of taxes becomes "an ass crouching down between two burdens." Let every freeman, be he rich or poor, recognize him who proposes unnecessary taxation as an enemy to society and to free institutions.

The most galling slavery is debt and taxation is a debt, the most grievous that can be borne.

It cannot be denied that the turnpike interests of the county could be better managed. But this is possible under the present existing law. If there is any wrong being done the law provides a most adequate and suitable remedy, which can be speedily applied, if those whose duty it is will have the capacity and courage to act. If they have not, the people have the right to select others to serve them.

But the plan now proposed is unwise, impracticable, unjust and of doubtful legality, and would necessitate a most burdensome taxation that would be most infamous. The times are hard and will be harder. Money is scarce and hard to get and nearly all our citizens are upon the ragged edge of financial distress. Under such a condition it does seem to me that no man can propose to largely increase taxation unless his understanding is at fault, his intellect under a cloud and his moral faculties depraved. And I appeal to my friends and fellow-citizens throughout the county to meet this wild proposition with sound intelligence and proper courage and stamp it in the dust.

W. H. MILLER.
Stanford, July 15.

LANCASTER, GARRARD COUNTY.

—The Park seems to have been converted into base ball grounds.
—Miss Pattie Terrill gave an elegant party at her home in upper Garrard Friday night. A large crowd from here attended.
—Collector Rodas and Deputy Marks passed through town en route to Danville Saturday evening and returned Monday morning.
—The L. & N. is putting in new ties and ballast all along this branch of their road. It is understood that steel rails will be laid as soon as this work is complete. Now if they will just run a decent train Lancaster people will indeed be happy.

—Mr. Hamlet Brown has been awarded the contract to build the new engine house and has commenced work on the same. The front of the lower floor will be used by the fire department and the rear as a police court room. The second story will consist of three office rooms, to be used by the county attorney, master commissioner and superintendent of public schools.
—The examination of colored applicants to teach public schools was conducted Friday at the court-house by County Supt. John L. Anderson. It will not be learned how many passed the required examination until the latter part of this week. By the way, Mr. Anderson will be a candidate for reelection to the office he holds. The county has never had a more competent and attentive superintendent and it would be wise to reelect him.

—The untimely death of Miss Nellie Boyston, daughter of James A. and Mary Boyston, of this place, on Saturday, the 15th, has cast a gloom over the entire community. Her beauty, intelligence, amiability and many excellences of character made her a universal favorite, and her loss is deeply deplored by her family and her friends and acquaintances generally. At the Sabbath school and at church she was a regular attendant and was always prompt in the discharge of duty. After appropriate funeral services at the Presbyterian church at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, conducted by Rev. J. R. Terrey, pastor, she was buried in the cemetery at this place, an immense concourse of the citizens of the town and adjoining counties attending the services.

—Miss Nannie Tucker, of Winchester, is visiting Miss Emma Hood. Mrs. L. D. Hollinsworth and son will arrive tomorrow to visit her father, Dr. Wm. Huffman. Will Jennings, of Faint Lick, was down Sunday. Misses Lizzie Beasley, of Crab Orchard, and Katie Simpson, of Gilbert's Creek, are visiting Miss Lizzie Simpson in lower Garrard. Mrs. James Kemper and daughter, Miss Swan, of St. Joe, Mo., who are visiting relatives in Garrard and adjoining counties, visited Miss Altie Marks last week. Mr. M. Braun, now of Louisville, is here looking after his store. Messrs. John Sam Owsley, Jr., and R. G. Denny, of Stanford, were here Sunday wearing their most graceful smiles. Mrs. R. E. Hughes has returned from a pleasant visit to friends in Louisville. Mr. R. E. went down and accompanied her home. Mr. Walter Saunders, a clever young gentleman of Stanford, was over Sunday. Mrs. C. C. Stormes left Saturday for Martinsville, Ind. Master Joe Rice, a handsome little gentleman of Boyle county, visited friends here last week.

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"Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy." The directors of the World's Fair tried to ignore this command, which was given with the other nine away back yonder in Moses' time, as well as the prayers and appeals of the Sabbatharians and other strict constructionists of the Word of God, but fate was against them and the dollars and cents have settled the question that neither of these could influence. The Sunday opening of the big Fair was a stupendous failure, so far as attendance was concerned, being insufficient to pay the running expenses of the day, so the directors met again and decided 24 to 4 to open no more on the first day of the week, commonly known as Sunday, after the last, which was expected to draw a large crowd, because the receipts were to be donated to the families of the firemen who lost their lives a week ago. We are not fanatical on Sabbath observance, as the Good Book tells us that the Sabbath was made for man and not man for the Sabbath, but there was no especial reason for the opening of the Fair on Sunday, as it is open six days and nights in the week, and the directors might have hearkened to the prevailing public sentiment, which was dead against it, if they were disposed to shut their eyes to the observance of the ten commandments.

Mr. Howerton has been forced by the monumental bluff of Capt. Kerr to publish the confession of his wife, which was made in the presence of Revs. Blanton and Rutherford and signed by her. In substance it is that during her sister's illness more than 20 years ago and when she was 18, she kept house for her brother-in-law, where by "persuasion, familiarities, dalliances, pettings and protestations of love and promises of marriage after her sister's death, with the other methods known to the seducer," he overcame her and that the illicit love thus begun continued up to and during her engagement to Mr. Howerton, a number of years afterwards. She says she told her sister of it after her engagement and that she forgave her on the promise to cease her sinful course. It is almost needless to say that the publication has completely taken the wind out of Capt. Kerr's sails and driven his staunchest friends in Bourbon and Fayette from the belief that he was a much persecuted man. The whereabouts of Mrs. Howerton are still unknown, tho' it is asserted now that she is in Boston and will never visit Kentucky again.

EDITOR A. A. Lewis announces that his connection with the Somerset Republican has ceased and that unless arrangements can be made for its continuance, which is likely to be done, the paper will suspend. Bro. Lewis extends consolation to his newspaper friends by saying that he will continue in the business at some other point, not named, however. With such an overwhelming republican population as Pulaski, it seems that a paper of that politics ought to live comfortably there, but the retiring editor says that for the last ten months the paper has been run principally at his own expense. The trouble is the republicans are not a reading class as a rule, many of them from necessity, not being able to read.

The World's Fair directors and the exhibitors have entered into a scheme to get their big show advertised. It is to send the editors of papers of good standing free transportation and Pullman car accommodations to the Fair and when they come to treat them like royalty. The big pot is to be put into the little one for their benefit and nothing left undone to impress them with the magnitude of the show. Then the scribbles are expected to go home and turn their papers into advertising sheets for the Fair. A half a million will be raised to carry out the scheme.

White stockings for feminine wear are coming into style again. There are sundry objections to them. One is they make the limbs look smaller, which in many cases are small enough already, and another that they will increase laundry bills. A black stocking tells few tales of dirt. The white is a dead give away and compels cleanliness, which is next to Godliness.

Persons who have not just claims for the pensions they are drawing had better stand from under. Dr. Walton, agent for Kentucky, notified 45 of their suspension, in two days, by order of the department, and the work has hardly begun. Let it continue till the last fraudulent rascal is forced to relinquish his hold on the treasury.

It is said that 11 of our 13 Congressmen will vote for the repeal of the Sherman law, making the purchase of silver compulsory. The other two will doubtless swing into line in time to avoid the deluge. The people have harped and their representatives must dance or retire from the ball room.

CONGRESSMAN BRECKENRIDGE is sly, devilish sly. A few weeks ago when it was rumored that he was to marry he took the trouble to deny it with an apparently injured air. Well, he is not going to marry the lady with whom his name was first associated, but it is now authoritatively announced that before the extra session of Congress convenes, he will take to himself a wife in the person of Mrs. Louise Scott Wing, widow of the late Hon. Rumsey Wing, who died while minister to Ecuador. Mrs. Wing lives in Louisville and is described as a very handsome and elegant lady. She is a third or fourth cousin of her prospective husband.

The General Statutes have been so changed by the legislature and the requirements of the new constitution that a new edition is imperatively necessary. The law makes no provision for its compilation, so the work has to be done by individuals. Judge Barbour, of the Superior Court, and Hon. John D. Carroll, of New Castle, have undertaken the job and the book will be put to press in September. Most of the acts of the General Assembly go to effect Oct. 3.

The absurdity of our pension laws and their looseness is demonstrated in the application of a colored woman serving a term in the Kentucky penitentiary for killing the husband for whose services in the war she now wants to get a pension. A special examiner says there is nothing in the laws to prevent the granting of it.

NEWSY NOTES.

—Gov. Brown vetoed the long and unpopular charitable institution bill.

—Three cases of yellow fever are reported on a vessel in quarantine off the Virginia coast, 30 miles from Norfolk.

—Only 35,000 people attended the World's Fair Sunday, although the proceeds were for the dead firemen's families.

—The Louisville Southern will go into the Richmond Terminal reorganization on the terms proposed by Drexel & Morgan.

—Hon. W. H. Enocbs, Representative in Congress of the Tenth Ohio district, was found dead in bed. He was a republican.

—Mercer instructed for Hon. W. W. Stephenson for the Senate and he will be nominated. The prohibits will have a candidate.

—The L. & N.'s gross earnings were \$22,399,795, an increase of \$1,161,074, and the net earnings \$8,031,092, an increase of \$587,493.

—The carpenters' strike at Lexington was a failure and many of the men have abandoned the union, which only got them into trouble.

—The failure of the Kansas City National Bank catches Lexington citizens for \$300,000. The Northrup Banking Co., of the same city, also failed.

—Sturgis T. Dick, member of the banking firm of J. R. Dick & Co., Meadville, Pa., committed suicide by shooting himself, because a run on the bank was made.

—Richard P. Roughton and Fred Rawlins fought a duel to the death at Saundersville, Ga. One was shot through the head, the other through the heart, and in a few moments both were corpses.

HUSTONVILLE.

—The new Baptist church at Rocky Ford, in Casey, was dedicated Sunday and quite a number of our young people were present.

—Mr. J. M. Cook has the best garden in town. He has had corn for several weeks and his potatoes are actually too large to eat. The other vegetables are fully as good.

—Jim Allen has a splendid tobacco crop on the creek near town. A portion of it runs close up to Main street and it makes our town present the appearance of a village, rather than that of a small-sized metropolis.

—The large chimney recently built to Mr. C. C. VanArsdale's mill, which takes the place of the old smoke stack, helps the looks of things greatly and besides gives the mill a much more substantial appearance.

—Some one here has originated the idea that a wooden toothpick stuck in the middle of a plate of butter will keep flies away from it. It really does the work and a cheaper remedy could not have been invented.

—Rev. Salu, the converted Jew, who held a protracted meeting in Stanford several years ago, is conducting an interesting meeting at the Baptist church here. Large crowds attend each service and much good is being done.

—The young people enjoyed two delightful parties last week. One at Misses Bertha and Edna Merces and the other at Misses Sallie and Lena Goode's. Both are highly spoken of by those present. A nice lunch was served at each place, which always adds to the enjoyableness of such occasions.

—Dock and "Brother" Drye are daily working their saddle horses on William's track, near Moreland. They have a splendid stable and say they will take in a few blue ties at the fair at your town. The former gentleman will ride George F. Anderson's King Chester in the \$300 saddle purse ring.

—The wheat crop that has been threshed shows a pretty good yield and the wheat is of fairly good quality. The market price is 50c and the thought of it makes the farmer, who is somewhat addicted to complaining any way, wish he

had not spent his time and money on that money-losing cereal.

—Squire McKinney, an eccentric old negro of this place, has the unenviable reputation of being the dirtiest creature in Kentucky. It is a well known fact that he has not changed his shirt for a clean one but once since last Summer and that he has never worn, even in the coldest weather, a vest, an overcoat or socks.

—The parsonage built by the Christian church is a credit alike to the town, the church and the people generally. The aged pastor, Elder W. L. Williams, who has served the church so faithfully and long, now has a delightful place to spend the declining years of a life filled with usefulness and good, and the old gentleman feels amply repaid for all he has done for the congregation, which almost worships him.

—Misses Catherine Young and Edith Kercheval, of Covington, are boarding at Mrs. Joe Huffman's. Mrs. H. R. Camnitz, who had the misfortune to burn her hand very badly some time ago, is getting on very well. Miss Mattie Jones, of Lexington, is the guest of Miss Lena Goode. June Reid, of Knoxville, is at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Reid. Mrs. John Dinwiddie is visiting her sick sister in Harrodsburg. H. B. Hocker has gone to Marth's Vineyard, off the coast of Massachusetts, in search of health. Misses Dugan and Hocker, of Parkville, have been visiting Mrs. W. B. Bruce. George L. Taylor and family, of Texas, are visiting the Messrs. Allen. Miss Louise Culbertson, of Covington, is the guest of Miss Edna Camnitz.

DANVILLE.

—Danville men organized a lodge of Knights of Maccabees Thursday night at Burgin.

—A colored base ball club from Frankfort defeated the Danville club here last Thursday and Friday.

—Following is a poster on the corner of Main and 2d streets: "2 Rooms For Rent on Secken Flor at A. Pink."

—Mr. John H. Lucas, a prominent lawyer of Kansas City, and a native of Danville, is in town. He is a son of the late Wm. C. Lucas.

—Union services will be held at the Methodist church next Sunday. Sermon by Rev. J. S. Kendrick, of the Christian church.

—Jim Walker, a colored boy, who has been in jail ten weeks on a charge of stealing a pair of pants from P. A. Marks was tried Friday evening before Judge Caldwell and acquitted.

—Dr. L. S. McMurry, of Louisville, is here on a brief visit of recreation. Mr. Allen Blankenbaker, of Louisville, is the guest of the family of Mr. E. H. Fox, on Lexington street.

—The post-office at Shelby City was robbed one night last week of stamps and a small amount of money. Tools taken from the shop of Dick Powell, a blacksmith, were used to effect an entrance.

—W. H. Hoons, 55 years old, was shot in the arms and painfully wounded in the knobs back of Junction City Sunday by T. McAnnelly. The shooting was the result of a quarrel, the particulars of which have not been obtained.

—Messrs. C. M. Fackler and Graham Price obtained a certificate as to their honesty, probity and good demeanor on Monday in the county court. This preparatory to applying for license to practice law when quarterly court meets next Monday.

—Rev. I. S. McElroy, who recently received a call from Lexington, Mo., and had about made up his mind to accept it, informed the INTERIOR JOURNAL Saturday that his Presbytery had refused to release from its jurisdiction and that he was now so certain that he would go to Missouri.

—Joe Pennington, Robert Gash, Rufus Brown, Roy Livingston, Joe Harris and George Sleet, colored boys of various sizes, were each fined \$10 and costs by Judge Caldwell Friday evening. They went through Squire J. J. Craig's corn field and broke and cut down a considerable quantity of corn for pure devilment.

—A charge of unlawful cohabitation against Ellen Embry and Elijah Dunn was dismissed in the recorder's court Friday morning, the parties signifying their willingness to marry, which they did a few minutes later in the county clerk's office, Rev. Benj. Kincaid, of the colored Presbyterian church performing the ceremony.

—Dennis Bailey, a young unmarried man, while blasting rock at the quarry near Cecil's trotting track, Thursday evening, was badly injured by an explosion he was not expecting to take place. He was bruised and lacerated in various parts of the body and may not recover. He is a nephew of Mrs. Mullany, who keeps the toll gate nearest Danville, on the Hustonville pike, and is a young man of excellent character. Dr. Bogle dressed his wounds.

—Lightning struck Dunn & Surber's store at Junction City, in which the post-office is located, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Sheriff J. M. Bailey, Geo. Rowney, Ed Hamner, John Mann, Jas. Surber, G. A. Dunn and others were present and were all more or less shocked, but not sufficiently so to prevent them from consuming their rations, which they have managed to do up to the present time. But little damage was done the building.

—John Durham, Jr., of Shelby City, a brakeman on freight train No. 39, south-

CHANCE OF A LIFE TIME.

The most perfect demoralization of Dry Goods, Clothing and Shoe prices ever known. Right ahead of you is the beginning of a week of the greatest Bargain Sale ever heard of.

Here They Go!

The handsome line of Summer Dress Cloth at 7 1-2c, worth 12 1-2c; a nice line of Chubbies worth 8 1-2c and 10c, at 5c; India Linens and all other Dry Goods reduced to half their former prices. We also put in this sale our line of Lace Curtains, which will be sold at 50c, 75c and \$1 per pair, worth double the money. We have all shades of Surah and figured China Silks, which will be closed out at 35c, worth 75c. We will put in this sale fifty dozen Ladies' Vests at 5c, worth 10c and 15c. Our full line

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS

will also be put in this slaughter sale. Handkerchiefs at 5c, worth double the money. A full line of Outing Shirts at 25c, worth 50c, and our elegant line of Neglige Shirts with laundered collars and cuffs, which were sold at 75c and \$1 go in this sale at 50c, and our better grade which were sold at \$1.25 and \$1.50, go at 75c. Remember the prices on our

Men's, Boys' and Children's Shoes,

Are cut in half. Our Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing will be sold cheaper than ever. All we ask is to call on us before you buy elsewhere and we will guarantee to save you money.

THE LOUISVILLE STORE.

bound, on the Cincinnati Southern, fell from his train Saturday afternoon about 2 o'clock, near Fautenauer's Station. One foot and knee were badly cut and bruised. He also received several painful wounds about the head. He laid where he fell, unable to get up, until the next train came by, when he was seen, taken aboard and brought to Danville, where Mr. Dunlap gave him the necessary attention. It is thought he will soon be out again.

FARM AND TRADE ITEMS.

—Don't miss the \$200 saddle stallion purse on the first day of the Fair, Thursday, July 27.

—Prewitt & Wood bought in the West End a bunch of butcher cattle at 2 1/2c and a lot of hogs at 5 1/2c to 6c.

—Jake Bonta, of Mercer, says he is going to keep his wheat crop of about 2,000 bushels till 70c can be gotten for it.

—Robert Pool, who drove Dan Wilkes the first heat of a race at the recent New Britain, Conn., meeting, is 83 years old.

—A T. Martin bought of M. P. Ester a yoke of oxen for \$80, of John Martin a yoke of same for \$50; of Bill Padgett a fat cow at 2 1/2c and a milk cow for \$17.50.

—Rodolph, the winner of the Kentucky Handicap, won the Columbian Handicap at Chicago and made the world's record of 1:59 2/5 and \$20,000. The odds were 5 to 1 against him.

—DANVILLE COURT.—Yesterday was court day at Danville, but it looked more like an ordinary Saturday afternoon, so small was the crowd. Some 50 cattle were offered for sale, but only about half were disposed. Butcher stuff was slow at 2 1/2c and a few fat cattle brought 2 1/2 to 3 1/2c. Four plug horses sold at \$10 to \$25. No mules were offered.

—We are neither a prophet nor the son of a prophet, nor are we blessed with an unusual amount of "hooseness," but mark this prediction. Naboth, the Walsingham stallion, owned by Messrs. J. K. & M. S. Baughman, will be a record smasher this year. Crit Davis, who is handling him, writes that he had been working him easy until Thursday, when he stepped a couple of miles in 2:20 and 2:18. This is phenomenal indeed and is equal to a 2:14 gait on any fast track. Harrodsburg's track, it will be remembered, is between 4 and 5 seconds slow. Naboth will certainly do to bank on.

DEATH'S DOINGS.

—The wife of Milton Reynolds, who had been ill a long time, died Sunday, aged 45.

—Mrs. Salina Hampton died of paralysis Sunday, at the residence of her adopted son, Peter Hampton, aged 80 years. She was a member of the Christian church for years and an excellent woman. She adopted Mr. Hampton when he was six months old and was always a true mother to him. He repaid her kindness by caring for her in her old age and making her declining years peaceful and happy. The remains were interred at Rush Branch church yesterday, after a short service by Rev. W. E. Ellis.

Nashville, Tenn., March 8, 1893.—The Stockton Medicine Co., Nashville, Tenn. Gentlemen.—I had Sciatic Rheumatism, combined with nervousness and insomnia, for six weeks, and having heard of so many persons being cured of nearly every disease by taking Stockton's Anti-septic, I concluded to try it, and the result was wonderful. It gave me almost instant relief, and in five days I went to my office. I take great pleasure in recommending it. Respectfully yours, R. E. Morton.

314 N. College street. Send for book on Microbe Theory, free. Sold by A. R. Penny, Druggist, Stanford.

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Call and see them before buying. Every thing in the grocery line for sale cheap.

FARRIS & HARDIN.

A : Great : Cut-Price : Sale

On goods in every department will begin this week at

The Cash Bargain Store

A nice line of vests will be placed on sale to-day at 10c, worth 15 and 20c; nicer quality at a little advance. All brands of Calicoes go at 5c; Masonville and Lonsdale Cottons 8 1/2c; best 10-4 Bleached Sheet 22c. We have also received a new lot of Millinery and can open your eyes on prices. Don't fail to get a pair of those sample Shoes at cost before it is too late. We will continue to give our customers a handsome Crayon Portrait with every \$10's-worth of goods. Ask for a card.

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TRUNKS!

In Square or round top, zinc or canvas;

VALISES

—And—

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H. J. McROBERTS.

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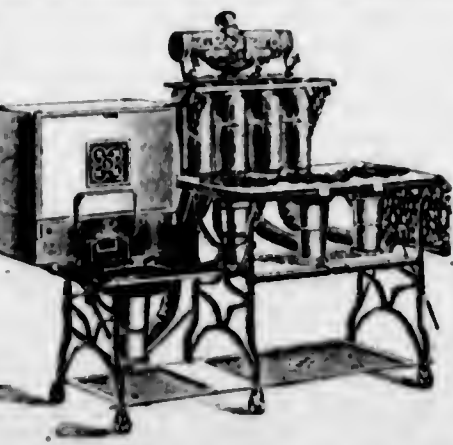
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And to give satisfaction.

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PERSONAL POINTS.

Miss JULIA PRYON is quite sick. Mrs. T. D. RANNEY is visiting in Danville.

M. F. NORTH, Esq., has returned from the Bell circuit court.

Miss MAY ADAMS, of Grays, is the guest of Miss Annie Shanks.

Miss ST. CLAIR is back from a month's visit to the World's Fair.

E. H. JONES, of Pineville, was here visiting his mother and friends.

Mrs. R. G. HALL and son, of Somerset, are visiting Mrs. G. D. Wear.

Miss EMMA KNOX, of Boyle, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. W. Stephens.

Miss SUE ROUR is here quite sick at Mr. J. B. Owens', in Harrodsburg.

Miss ELLA MAY SATCHELS is now a saleslady in Stephens & Knox' store.

Mrs. F. M. ANKLEY is spending the heated spell at Capt. O. P. Ely's, in Knox county.

Miss BESSIE T. ENGLEMAN, daughter of Mr. G. R. Engleman, is very ill with erysipelas.

Miss MARY KILGORE, of Glasgow, was the guest of Misses Nellie and Lizzie Slaymaker.

On A. S. PRICK and Albert Severance left Sunday for a ten-days' stay at Rock Castle Springs.

Mrs. A. B. JOHNSON, of Louisville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Rount, at Rowland.

The kids stormed Miss Lola Burke the other night and had a merry time court-ing, dancing and eating.

Miss LIZZIE MUNKER has been spending a few days with her friend, Miss Ethel Wright, of the West End.

Miss ANNIE GREEN accompanied Mr. J. S. Hughes to Rock Castle Springs yesterday and will stay several weeks.

Mr. J. K. DUNFORD, who was hurt in the Junction City collision a month ago, was able to go to Louisville yesterday.

Mrs. H. T. HARRIS and daughter, Mrs. T. H. Saunders, of Louisville, arrived Saturday and are guests of the Coffey House.

Mrs. J. S. ARMSTRONG, of Dallas, Texas, passed through Saturday to Lancaster to visit her parents, Capt. and Mrs. F. J. White.

C. L. CROW took the train here Saturday for Campbellsville, where he will handle the reins over his and J. P. Crow's trotters.

Mrs. Geo. H. BRUCE and Mrs. W. C. Park were here yesterday, returning from the funeral of their niece, Miss Nellie Royston, at Lancaster. The latter went on to Middleboro. Mrs. Bruce is with Mrs. H. J. McRoberts.

Miss JENNIE WEST, of this city, has again been employed by the board of trustees of the White Oak school-house, in Lincoln county, for the next term. Miss Jennie is an excellent young lady, as well as a splendid teacher, and the appointment was well deserved.—Harrodsburg Democrat

CITY AND VICINITY.

Remember the Fair date—July 27 and 28.

Take your repairs to Danks, the Jeweler.

Try the 30 days system—McKinney Bros.

Binders twice for sale—cheap. J. H. Banghman.

Rock salt, 50 cents per hundred at J. K. VanArsdale's.

See those elegant diamonds, cheap, at Danks', Jeweler.

See McKinney Bros' ad. They want to save you some money.

Your account is due. Please call and settle it at once. A. A. Warren.

Your account is ripe, ready and waiting. Please call and settle. W. H. Weeden & Co.

Good.—Pittsburg voted 155 to 10 against opening saloons, so Mr. J. W. Bastin writes us.

It is semi-annual settling time. Please do me the favor to pay your account. I need the money. H. C. Ripley.

Thirteen colored persons, all women, presented themselves for examination for school teachers Friday and Saturday.

Your account at Yeager & Yeager's is due and ready and they ask that you do not defer longer the payment of it, but settle at once.

CHICKEN THIEVES.—Will Hays heard some one after his chickens the other night and fired six shots in the direction from whence the noise came. Neither the chickens nor the thief were injured. Mr. T. J. Hatcher's hen-house was raided the same night and relieved of a dozen or more fine "frying size" chickens.

The Edgewood Distillery, W. H. Traylor, Esq., proprietor, which closed down a few days ago, made this year about 1,500 barrels of whisky. Mr. Traylor now has on hand about 3,000 barrels of the "finest in the land" and as soon as the hot spell is over will start up again. Mr. Traylor tells us that he has no trouble in selling his whisky, but could dispose of ten times as much, if he could only make it.

Don't forget the Stanford Fair.

Danks has on hand an elegant line of diamonds.

Ice cream freezers low down at A. A. Warren's Model Grocery.

Mason's quart jars 5 cents a piece at A. A. Warren's Model Grocery.

Fruit jars, tin cans, sealing wax, extra rubbers, &c., at McKinney Bros'.

WANTED.—A young lady experienced in the dry goods business, at the Lonia ville Store.

Place your orders for coal now so as to get the benefit of the low summer rates. Higgins & Watts.

The various privileges of the Fair, which include dining rooms, lunch-stands, lemonade stands, horse feeding and hitching and parcel room will be sold at public auction at 2 p. m. Wednesday, July 19, '93. For particulars write to E. C. Walton, Sec'y, Stanford, Ky.

JOEL & PHOENIX, the Danville sewing machine men, seem to have a hard time with their agents. One is in jail here for stealing from them and now they have put E. L. Dawson, formerly a Sunday-school teacher in Garrard, in hoc at Mt. Sterling for the same offense.

THE L. & N. will sell round trip tickets from all stations between Louisville and London to Lebanon Fair at one fare for round trip. Tickets on sale July 24 to 28 inclusive, good returning July 29th. Will also run a special train leaving Rowland at 7:30 A. M., July 25 to 28, returning leave Lebanon each day after the races are over. W. W. Penn, T. P. A.

The open air concert given by the Uniformed Stanford Gold Band Friday evening was greatly enjoyed and drew a large crowd composed not only of Stanford people but of a good many country folks. The court-house yard was to an extent illuminated, the weather was perfect and the boys in their handsome uniforms fairly outdid themselves. They had very thoughtfully arranged comfortable seats for the ladies, who heartily enjoyed the treat, while the male members of the crowd got as close as possible to the enchanting music.

COULDN'T KILL HIM.—Jim Brown, a colored member of the work train force, got drunk as usual Sunday and jumping on No. 24 came to Stanford, where his wife lives. He applied for a pass to go back to his train and being refused he got on 23, but was put off just beyond the Rowland yards. He seated himself on a tie and when freight train No. 30 came along its pilot struck him and knocked him silly. He was brought home, where Dr. Peyton pronounced his case a severe one of concussion of the brain and lungs. He is badly scarred about the head and shoulders and remained unconscious for a long time, but revived yesterday and it is now thought he will get well.

We have received through Manager F. J. Campbell, of Rock Castle Springs, \$7.00 for Mr. Sam Wharton, who was recently turned out, the proceeds of an an impromptu entertainment given there for his benefit. Those who witnessed the performance pronounce it a highly pleasing one, while all will agree that its object was most commendable. Among those who took part were Mrs. Mary S. Kellar, of Louisville, banjo solo; Miss Ina Curry, Cincinnati, violin solo; Miss Ferguson, Texas, and Miss Mollie Betty, Cincinnati, recitations; and Miss Ada Mitchell, Owensboro, skirt dance. In his note Mr. Campbell adds: "Rock Castle is now in the midst of a grand boom, stages arriving full every night and the weather is perfectly delightful."

\$150 REWARD.—Gov. Brown has offered a reward of \$150 for the arrest and delivery to the jail here of Odie Paul, the McKinney youth who murdered the Helms, the negro, some weeks ago. This is hardly enough inducement to insure very great search, but it may be the source of Paul's getting his deserts for the horrible killing. Ed Paul, father of the murderer, was here last week and told several friends that his son would surrender himself as soon as the excitement died down to some extent, but little or no credence is given the statement. Young Paul knows too well that he has gotten into a very bad box and will certainly make himself scarce in these diggings as long as he can.

JOE MUNDAY.—A good sized crowd heard Joe Munday's lecture to men only at the Court-House Sunday. He didn't mince his words in dealing with delicate subjects nor refrain from taking a crack at creation generally. At the close of his remarks he handed around the hat himself and held it to the victim till he was ashamed not to put something in it. When he started to take the collection he dared anybody to leave before he got to him. Two young men wouldn't take the dare and got up to go, when he halted them with the remark: "See here, young fellows, Sam Jones says a man who will leave to avoid a contribution will jump a poker game, and if there is anything meaner than that I do not recall it." It is needless to say the rest sat still and bore the indication. Mr. Munday was to lecture at the same place last night on "Get There Eli." There was no charge, but as the lecturer is not travelling for his health, he hoped that all who attended would contribute as the spirit moved him.

SAILOR hats for the Fair at Mrs. P. T. Courts'.

CATCH HIM.—Messrs. Bailly and Hocker have increased the reward for their horse and buggy thief to \$100.

THE KANSAS CITY BANKS are going to pieces, but private information is to the effect that R. W. Hocker's bank, the Metropolitan National, will pull thro' all right. Much of its stock is owned here.

JAMES KINNAIRD sold at public auction at Danville yesterday 18 shares of Boyle National Bank stock as follows: Five shares to T. D. English, as agent, at \$18.25 and five at \$18.50, and eight to Nicholas McDowell at \$19.00.

DURING the Fair next week the Uniformed Stanford Gold Band of 18 members will be assisted by Capt. Thomas Richards, Dr. Lee F. Huffman, James T. Carson, A. G. Huffman, A. A. Warren, D. R. Carpenter, and other members of the old band, and also by Mr. James H. Calvert, of Junction City, constituting a full band of 25 or 30 pieces, and the music will be an interesting feature.

FREE TURNPIKES sound mighty well, in fact, the human family is so constructed that anything free, something for nothing is always a desideratum. Let somebody announce that he is a candidate for the legislature on the platform that everything shall be free—railroads, turnpikes, hotels, livery stables, newspapers and what not, and he will be elected surely, if he can find fools enough to believe he can really accomplish what he promises.

ONLY TWO FIRST.—Out of the 34 persons who took the examination for common school teachers, two received first-class certificates, 8 second; 11 third and 13 failed to pass the standard required by the State Board. The examiners for Lincoln county are very painstaking in regard to the grading, seeing at all times that fairness is shown to all applicants and also that the State is properly protected. It seems to take one pretty well up on the common school branches to pass the present examinations. The county superintendent says that the new school law is even more strict in its demands than the old. So much the better for the children who are to be the real beneficiaries.

HELD.—Frank Perry, charged with complicity in the murder of Ike Helms at McKinney, had an examining trial yesterday before Judge Vernon. It was shown that he had no direct connection with the killing, his difficulty with the negro having ceased several moments before Odie Paul fired the fatal shot. He and the negro fought over the charge that he had driven the horse too hard, and Perry swore that when he knocked him down with a chair he was advancing towards him with a drawn knife. The other witnesses said that Helms had a knife in his hand when he got up, but they did not see it before. The doctors testified that the lick could not have seriously injured the negro, and defendant was held in \$200 bond, which he hasn't given. The judge tried to keep out evidence against Paul, but sufficient was given to show that he was a most cold-blooded and unjustifiable murderer.

FREE TURNPIKES.—We devote a good deal of space to a carefully prepared article by Hon. W. H. Miller on the question of free turnpikes, which thoughtful people have sprung for demagogic purposes. It shows the utter absurdity of the proposition, both from a financial and legal point of view, and ought to convince those who are not beyond the power of argument that it is impractical and unwise. If the turnpikes could be condemned, and there are doubts of it, since they are already devoted to public use, it would entail a bonded debt the interest, &c., on which, with the expense of keeping up the roads, would nearly throttle taxation. The expense of keeping up the pikes is enormous and it would be greater if done by the county. President J. F. Cash, of the Hustonville pike, one of the least expensive in the county, has just made a report to County Attorney J. B. Paxton, showing by vouchers it cost over \$60 a mile last year. Read Mr. Miller's article and you will be convinced that we can not afford to go into the free turnpike business.

CHURCH AFFAIRS.

—Rev. A. V. Sizemore will preach at Walnut Flat next Sunday at 3 p. m.

—The Kentucky followers of Schweinfurth, the Illinois "Christ," have established a "heaven" at Lexington.

—Elder Joe Severance went to Bellevue, near Erlanger, Saturday, to hold a protracted meeting. He will be assisted by Elder Will Walden, of Lancaster.

—Rev. W. E. Crabtree and Mr. Farley are conducting a meeting at Turnersville, which has brought several into the fold and awakened the community generally.

—Fannie Edwards, the 16-year-old evangelist, closed her meetings Sunday at Green Briar Springs, preaching three sermons on that day to hundreds of people. A collection was taken up which amounted to \$18.

A Hearty Welcome

is given Stockton's Antiseptic by those who have suffered with dyspepsia or indigestion, for it is a sure cure. It stops fermentation in the stomach and allows nature time to digest the food. Try it. It has never failed with others and will not in your case. Ask A. R. Penny for it.

GRAB ORCHARD.

—Rev. Stout preached at the Baptist church Saturday and Sunday.

—Mrs. Dr. Bates is with her parents here. Miss Hettie Harris is much improved in health. Willie Brooks is with his mother, enjoying a few days of rest.

—The members of the Christian church at the earnest request of their pastor, Rev. Briney, have decided to hold communion services every Sabbath. All the members are requested to attend Sunday-school and communion service each Sunday.

—Rev. Briney was with friends here last week. He has done a great deal of good for the church by mixing around with the members. Last week he succeeded in reconciling two of our professional men, who had not spoken for 14 years. We are much rejoiced at the reconciliation, as both men stand high, and could do no much good in their church.

—Mrs. S. E. Owens, of Augusta, Ga., is visiting her brother, Mr. S. A. Middleton, whom she had not seen for 20 years. Mr. George Harris started out as a drummer boy for a Cincinnati firm last week. He has fine business qualifications and is steady and reliable, so we wish him great success in his present work. Mr. Eb Higgins, the popular drummer, is enjoying himself with friends here. Miss Mamie Currey, of Lancaster, was the guest of Mrs. W. A. Carson last week. Miss Nan Harris, of Lancaster, was with Mrs. J. H. Stephens. Mrs. Maggie Sigler returned to Franconia, Ind., Friday, taking Miss Belle Sigler with her. The latter will be missed in the church and Sunday school, for she has been a faithful attendant.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO COAL BURNERS

Of Rowland, Stanford and vicinity:

Having made arrangements with the East Tennessee Lignite Coal Co., I am now prepared to sell you Lignite Coal at the lowest possible margin. I find that by paying cash and selling for cash I can sell much cheaper, so come and see me and see how little money will buy your winter supply of this Coal, the best on the market. Thanking you for past favors and soliciting a continuance of same, I am respectfully yours, S. H. ADAMS, Rowland.

100 Valuable Town Lots and 100 Acres of Valuable Lands.

All lying alongside of depot machine shops and yards at Corbin. Will sell at a bargain, all together or separately, or would exchange for a Blue Grass Farm. Correspondence solicited. D. T. CULBERT, Corbin, Ky.

\$100 REWARD.

HORSE AND BUGGY STOLEN.

Dark bay horse, almost brown, blind in right eye, almost 16 hands high, 12 years old, hair off of head and from its ratches. Buggy, running gear, smoke color, except single tree which is black. Body black, as near cut as of inside of dash two inches square. The above reward will be paid for recovery of property and conviction of thief. JAMES P. BAILEY, J. S. McDONK, Stanford, Ky.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

THE NATIONAL BANK OF HUSTONVILLE.

In the State of Kentucky, at the office of Business July 10, 1893.

RESOURCES.

RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts	\$105,000.74
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,200.00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	12,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents	14,000.74
Due from other National Banks	1,253.21
Due from State Banks and Bankers	1,000.00
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	1,300.00
Current expenses and taxes paid	17.33
Checks and other cash items	4.82
Notes on hand	2,000.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	88.75
Spares	10,774.00
Legal tender notes	1,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	5 per cent. circulation
Total	\$186,640.46

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	15,000.00
Undivided profits	5,000.00
National Bank notes outstanding	11,700.00
Individual deposits subject to check	5,428.08
Due to other National Banks	3,000.00
Due to State Banks and Bankers	1,000.00
Total	\$100,000.00

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK,

AT STANFORD, KY.

In the State of Kentucky, at the office of Business July 12, 1893.

RESOURCES.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK	
AT STANFORD,	
in the State of Kentucky, at the time of issue	
July 12, 1863.	
RESOURCES	
Deposits and discounts	\$50,000.00
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	3,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure Circulation	50,000.00
Spares, securities, claims, etc.	14,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents	1,200.00
Due from other National Banks	5,000.00
Due from State Banks and Bankers	5,000.00
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	1,000.00
Current expenses and taxes paid	100.00
Checks and other cash items	5,000.00
Notes on hand	5,000.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	75.00
Spares	5,000.00
Legal tender notes	12,000.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer	5 per cent. circulation
	2,000.00
Total	\$100,000.00

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$50,000.00
Surplus fund	21,000.00
Undivided profits	1,000.00
National Bank notes outstanding	45,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check	100,000.00
Due to other National Banks	5,000.00
Due to State Banks and Bankers	5,000.00
Liabilities other than above stated	100.00
Total	\$100,000.00

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

County of Lincoln,

I, John J. McRoberts, cashier of above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN J. McROBERTS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of July, 1893.

W. H. BAUGHMAN, J. S. McDONK, } Directors.

W. H. HAYES, } W. A. TAYLOR, }

THE GREAT

SLAUGHTER -- PEN.

This is what we are making our house to-day. We are determined

To Close Out Our Summer Goods,

At whatever sacrifice it may take, and after the repeal of the Sherman law to begin on

A SOLID GOLD BASIS.

Our 20c French Gingham down to 12 1/2c, our 35c French Gingham down to 20c, our 15c gingham down to 10c, and so with every thing that pertains to Summer. Luster coats, light colored and light weight Cassimere suits, Ladies Oxfords in tan and black.

GENTLEMEN'S LOW CUT SHOES.

Straw hats and every thing for summer goes. We begin early so we can make room for Fall Purchases. Our store room is very small and we must have the space. Come and come early.

HUGHES & TATE.

B. B. KING.

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MORELAND, KY.,

We have opened up a nice line of

Dry Goods, Notions, Dress Goods, Clothing Boots, Shoes, Hats, Groceries, Hardware,

We paid spot cash for these goods bought them where we could get the most for the least money. Hardware was bought in car load lots, which enables us to make very low prices. Salt 7-bu. \$1.70.

Miss Lizzie Myers has opened up Dress Making over our store and invites her friends to give her a call.

Terms cash or country produce. Give us a call. We will save you money.

We are opening up a splendid line of Millinery.

KING & PREWITT.

Elegant New Stock of

Rugs, Carpets, Mattings

—AT—

Severance & Son



—WE HAVE FOR SALE—

The Deering Improved Steel Binders.

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